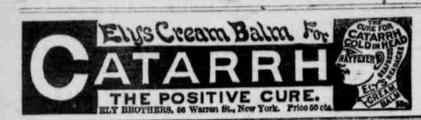
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Oh, that this eve could last forever, Ambition's sun be set.

For with thee near my heart would never The busy world regret. Only count us as Love's Immortals

Bid Night halt at the western portals,

Then twilight would be fraught with splendor, Bathed in Faith's golden stream ; And each to each all love would render Sing, sweet, and let me dream.

#### FOILED BY AN OPERATOR.

The western-bound train had just started from the depot at Cheyenne, and the passengers were settling themselves comfortably in their seats to enjoy the long stretch of ride which was before them, as well as might be.

I was on my way to new of labor, the western Union Telehaving transferred me to a station well up among the mountains. I did not care to read. Somehow I could not concentrate my thoughts upon the pages, and the book lay open and unheeded on my knee.

I had sat engrossed in reverie for perhaps fifteen minutes, when my attention was attracted towards two flashily-dressed men who occupied seats facing each other, diagonally across the aisle from me. One was middle-aged, while the other was much younger.

At first I took them to be deaf mutes, for they were certainly carrying on a conversation with their fingers. But a second glance told me that they were not using the symbols by which the poor unfortunates who are deprived of speech, communicate with one another, for only the index finger and the thumb

With half-closed eyes I idly watch- Cases, Combination Cases. ed them awhile, when suddenly I beso great that I nearly revealed my appreciates the advantages to be gained in using these beds. knowledge of what they were saying by an exclamation of dismay.

They were actually telegraphing to each other, the quick extension of the forefinger representing the

"The gang boards the train at ." signaled the older of the two men.

"It will be dark, then. We must manage to get on the rear platform of the express car at that stop. When well out on the road again, cut the coaches apart. Jim and Tom will take care of the engineer and fireman, while you and I will have to look after the messenger. Does your nerve hold good?"

I could not witness the reply of the younger one, but I judged it was satisfactory, for his companion

about them.

That I was astonished, scsrcely in a most singular manner, made aware of the plot to rob the express.

be done without exciting suspicion?

At length, I determined to step forward into the smoking-car and when an opportunity occurred, to report what I had learned to the con-

Then, as nonchalantly as possible, I took a cigar from my pocket, opened my penknife, deliberately cut the end off, and placing the weed between my lips, arose, deposited my bag and overcoat where I had been sitting, and walked slowly toward the forward part of the

I did not know but what the robbers might have a confederate in the smoker, so it behooved me to be extremely guarded.

Then again, I had heard of such a thing as the conductor bein'in league with the "gentlemen of the road;" at any rate I realized that I must speak to this official, and were he a friend of the thieves, it would at least frustrate their designs for a time, though it would also give them a chance to escape.

I had consumed perhaps a quarter of the eigar when the man in charge of the train entered.

I caught his attention and motioned him to take a seat by my side, and then placed my credentials from my company in his hand and awaited his perusal thereof.

"Well, young man," he asked, as he returned the paper, "what interest do you suppose that has for

"Very little, directly," I replied. "Only I thought it best to let you know who I am before revealing to LEARN TELEGRAPHY Wanted Young Men to learn Telegraphy in Our Offices and 'two he who sent the message and 'two he who sent the message." you a secret of the greatest impor-

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in the lower part of ing was as if a ten look upon me.



on a spot the size of my hand. During the attacks, the stand in drops on agony for me to make sufficient effort even to whis per. They came night, lasting from thirty minutes to suddenly; but, for

several days after, I was quite pros-trated and sore. Sometimes the attacks were almost daily, then less frequent. After about four years of this suffering, I was taken down with bilious typhoid fever, and when I began to recover, I had the worst attack of my old trouble I ever experienced.
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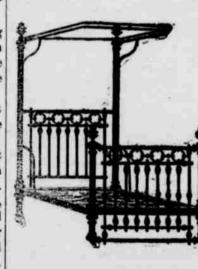
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expressed my feelings. I had been, Saginaw and Bay, City are delighted train. with the work done for them by this

They furnish special designs for any I knew it was my duty to warn kind of fine interior work, and take absence, had busied themselves about the train hands, but how was it to the greatest care to make everything the engine, as though repairing right up to date.

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"What do you mean?" demanded the conductor, bending a searching

"I learned but a short time since that there are two men in the car behind this, who, with the assistance of others that will board the cars at L-, are to cut the train in two, and compel the engineer to rush ahead with the express car to some place where they can rifle it of its contents without fear of interruption."

"Is it possible?" he exclaimed, aghast at the news.

"It is indeed," and then I proceeded to make known how I had discovered the plot.

"What are we to do?" he asked in a whisper. "If there are but two the train hands can easily secure them.

"But there may be others," I suggested, "and if you attempt to make an arrest it may precipitate matters, and some of your innocent passengers might receive injuries from flying bullets."

"That is true, but what do you propose? We certainly cannot remain idle and allow them to take their course."

"Is there a telegraph station at L---?" I inquired.

"Do you know his call?"

"Yes. I have it here." and the conductor took from his pocket a copy of the regulations of the road. Turning over the leaves he said "S. D. is L---'s call."

"Very well," I replied. "Now, as it is coming on dark, you can REAL ESTATE, stop the train without exciting much suspicion. I will go back a little way with the rear brakeman and tap the wire. With the aid of my pocket relay I will open communication with L- and let the agent there know what is afoot."

"How long will it detain us?" "Perhaps ten minutes, if I get him on my first call."

"I will do it!" exclaimed the conductor, and he reached up and gave

Ere the train had come to a full stop the conductor and myself sprang to the ground, he hurrying forward to whisper to the engineer, while I walked back to join the rear brakeman, who was just alighting with a lantern in his hand.

"What's the matter!" growled the man, not liking to walk back a distance of ten telegraph poles along the dark and lonely road. "Never mind, now," I answered.

"Come along with me, it's the conductor's orders." When we had got far enough away from the train to escape ob-

Fortunately, the operator at L-

as on hand. "It is understood that robbers are to board No. 27 at L-. Two are coming down with us now. Arrest any suspicious person that may be loitering about the station. Have officers in readiness when we arrive. (Signed) Clarkson, conductor of No. 27.

This was the message which I sent, using the name the conductor for use or ornament. derstanding each other, they turned curtain desired. They especially their attention to what was going on their great skill down the pole with the feeling of fine orientals, valencienn, in new and Then, as though thoroughly un- Nottingham, and every other style of had given me, and when I had redown the pole with the feeling of pretty patterns. relief, and, in company with the brakeman, hurried back to the

To detract attention from us, the engineer and fireman, during our some part of the machinery, but when we came up the conductor swung his lantern, the two men umped into the cab and we were off again at an increased rate of speed to make up for lost time.

I resumed my former seat, close to the robbers, and when we drew near to L- I perceived that the brakemen, baggage-master and conductor had some particular business in our car, and as the train slowed up the four railroad employes threw themselves simultaneously upon the outlaws, and, after a desperate struggle, had them securely bound. Stepping out upon the dimlylighted platform at the station we were confronted by an excited

wretches safely manacled. "Ah, ha! Clarkson!" exclaimed the depot master triumphantly. "I got your despatch just in time, and you see, here are the two birds waiting for you. How did you come out with those on the train?"

"All right," was the reply, "I'll turn them over to you, Mr. Officer," indicating the sheriff, who stood close by leaning upon a Winchester rifle. "You needn't be afraid but what

I'll give a good account of them. You'll have to lay off here on your next trip East, as a witness against "Very well. I'll do that with pleasure. But here's a man you GENERAL want to summon," indicating me.



#### A STRANGE CASE.

How an Enemy was Foiled. The following graphic statement will be read with intense interest: "I cannot describe the numb, creepy sensation that existed in my arms, hands and legs. I had to rub and beat those parts until they were sore, to overcome in a measure the dead feeling that had taken possession of them. In addition, I had a strange weakness in my back and around my waist, together with an indescribable 'gone' feeling in my stomach. Physiciaus said it was creeping paralysis, from which, according to their universal conclusion, there is no feeling in my stomach. Physiciaus said it was creeping paralysis, from which, according to their universal conclusion, there is no relief. Onco it fastens upon a person, they say, it continues its insidious progress until it reaches a vital point and the sufferer dies. Such was my prospect. I had been doctoring a year and a half steadily, but with no particular benefit, when I saw an advertisement of Dr Miles' Restorative Nervine, procured a bottle and began using 4t. Marvelous as it may seem, but a few days had passed before every bit of that creepy feeling had left me, and there has not been even the slightest indication of its return. I now feel as well as I ever did, and have gained ten pounds in weight, though I had run down from 170 to 137. Four others have used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine on my recomendating, and it has been as satisfactory in their cases as in mine."—James Kane, La Rue, O.

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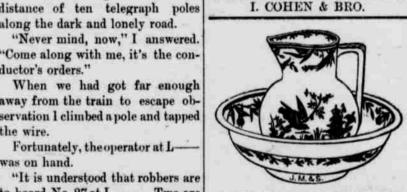
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lrawn and it was with no great dif- the pipe, and the same agreement ficulty that the crowd collected out- in return on the part of the Souix." family group in the front parlor. been legal, but it "went" just the The husband and father was ob- same.-Minneapolis Tribune. served standing on the table and gesticulating wildly. The wife and mother might be seen dancing with marked degree of abandon on the sofa. The baby reclined in a big chair and blinked apathetically.

"Such people ain't fit to-have the clared a lady with glasses who stood then looking down at her children very near the house and could see remarked: "Here Abraham Lin-

"It's a shame!" indignantly insistof groceries.

The husband and father suddenly eized a chair and waved it frantic-

The lady with glasses shuddered The woman with the groceries averted her face, as if to save herself the shock of witnessing a revolting tragedy. "The child ought to be rescued!"

The wife and mother upon this

nstant laid violent hands upon a feather duster, and leaping in the air, shook it ostantatiously. "This must be stopped, They're ntoxicated and are going to kill

that young one." The lady with glasses was addressing the crowd. The stout wom-an had just time to express a firm what to do."—New York Press. belief that the people inside were crazy, when some determined men door. The husband and father responded to the summons.

"We must insist that you cease our murderous demonstrations to-that", said he. vards yonder child.' The husband and father stood

speechless and aghast. 'We have seen enough to con- your honor a handsome man, vince us that you either intend to would be humbugging you.' kill the babe or scare it out of its wits. In either event, we demand that you stop at once or surrender the little one.

"But gentleman-The husbaud and father was getting agitated.

The three determined men looked

skeptical. "What then were you doing?" "We were seeing if we could teach the baby to keep still long enough

Whereat the stout woman and the lady with glasses, who had been and Lungs. Eachsbottle is guaranteed to looking over the shoulders of the determined men, suddenly recalled to all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bettle free at J. E. Field determined men, suddenly recalled to brug store. Large bottles 50c. their dear ones at home and departed swiftly into the darkness.

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A couple of weeks later he asked her for the book.

"Oh, I have kept the account all right," said his wife, producing the little leather volume; "see, here it is," and on one page was inscribed: Received from Alfy, twenty pounds," and on the one opposite the comprehensive summary:-"Spent it all."

#### Last Resort.

"Is this Madame Pompon?" breathlessly inquired a man who had climbed several flights of stairs and been admitted into a darkened

"It is," replied the stately personge whom he had addressed "The famous clairvoyant and for

tune teller?" "The same?"

"Do you read the mind?" "With perfect ease."

"Can you foretell the future?" "The future holds no mysterie hat I cannot unravel." "Can you unfold the past?"

me an open book." "Then," said the caller, feverishly taking from his pocket a handful of silver, "I wish you would tell me

Immediately I was the recipient what it is that my wife wanted me of admiring looks from the citizens to bring home without fail this evand frowning scowls from the out- ening and name your price. Monlaws, and to escape both, I hastened ey is no object." on board the train, after receiving

#### An Indian Compact of Peace.

The final peacemaking between the Sioux and the Chippewa Indians amount of circumstantial evidence, was accomplished at Mannah, the robbers were adjudged guilty Meeker Co., on December 12, 1857. and are now serving out a long term and the agreement was as follows:

"The Leech Lake chief, Ne-Pa-The express company, grateful Quam, gave the pipe of peace to for the service which I had render- the Sioux chief, He-Yung-Ma-Ne, ed, presented me with a substantial who gave the pipe back to Ne-Pa

"Agreed that if any Indian of the Leech Lake band killed any Sioux, the head warrior of the Leech Lakers should be given up to The curtains were not tightly be hung with the cord attached to side was enabled to perceive the All of which might not have

An old colored woman stood at the station waiting for the train. Beside her stood two little pickaninnies with faces as black as the inside of a stovepipe. When the old mammy's train arrived, she exare of a child," authoritatively de-claimed: "Bress de Lord!" and coln, take hold of Jeff Davis' hand. and come along heah, quick!" ed a stout woman with an armful And the namesakes of the two great statesmen of the war joined hands and walked away together, as though the names had not expressed such a similarity of pur-

#### She had her Revenge.

"Angelin," said Edwin, "there is a little question that I have long been wishing to ask you."

"Yes?" she said, opening her eyes very wide and pretending complete ignorance, although confident that she was fully aware of its purport. "I want to ask you whether I

ought to let my mustash grow or Gulping down her disappointment she said: "I would let it grow, if it will grow, but I'm

A late judge, whose personal apstepped forward and knocked at the pearance was as unprepossessing as his legal knowledge was profound, and his intellect keen, interrupted a

> "Humbugged you, my good wom-What do you mean by "Well, your honor," replied the woman, "I don't know how to explain it exactly; but if a girl called

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